

STOCKS IRREGULAR.

SHARP REVISIONS, FOLLOWED BY MORE THAN FULL RECOVERY. SENSATIONAL RISE IN CALL MONEY.

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NEW YORK, April 5. - The market was very irregular today. Violent fluctuations being frequent. Sharp recessions appearing early. The market rallied, with a burst of strength in the railways, in the hope of a favorable crop report. A sensational rise occurred in call money, as high as 16 per cent. being exacted for loans on industrial collateral, and later 15 per cent. was reported, even on the railways. The greater part of the day loans were much below this figure, although it was quite general to charge a higher rate on industrial collateral than on that of railways. Extensive liquidation followed the appearance of the highest money rate so far this season. There were many breaks of from 2 to 4 points from the highest, but stocks recovered, and 6 per cent. was paid for money at the close, leaving the list slightly above yesterday's close, with the tone steady.

London sold a small amount of stock. Manhattan receded over 2 points and Third Avenue & Brooklyn Transit and American Steel and Wire were lifted over 4 points each. A rise of 3-1/2 points in Mexican Central, an enormous dealings was said to relate to a plan to redistribute the capital, but nothing definite came forward. Much of the buying of this stock was said to come from Boston. Mexican National had a sympathetic rise of over a point. The talk of favorable business prospects for Walsh lifted the preferred stock a substantial fraction, on large dealings.

ACTIVITY IN BONDS. Considerable activity was shown when displayed in some sections of the bond market, but the general tone was uncertain. Total sales \$2,000,000. Standard Oil declined 1-1/2 in the bid price.

Standard Oil closed at 47 1/2-48 1/2. The total sales of stocks were \$75,221,484.20 for demand, and \$14,469,841.20 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4,859,483.12 and \$4,871.2; commercial bills, \$4,837,843.12.

Money on call strong at 6 1/2 per cent.; last loan at 6; prime mercantile paper, 6 1/2-6 3/4 per cent.

Sterling exchange firmer, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$48.11-59 1/2 for demand, and \$48.14-49 1/2 for sixty days; posted rates, \$4.859,483.12 and \$4,871.2; commercial bills, \$4,837,843.12.

Sliver certificates, 6 1/2. Bar silver, 60 1/2-61. Mexican dollars, 47-5.

Government bonds, 4 1/2-4 3/4. State bonds, 4 1/2-4 3/4. Railroad bonds irregular.

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PETERSBURG TOBACCO MARKET.

PETERSBURG, VA., April 4. (Special.) - Receipts good; market active. Quotations: Good medium to medium lugs, \$1.50-1.55; fine lugs, \$2.00-2.25; good leaf, \$2.50-3.00; medium to good wrap, \$3.50-4.00; medium to good shipping, \$4.00-4.50; good to fine shipping, \$12.00-13.00.

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FINANCIAL.

Virginia Trust Company, 1200 MAIN STREET. Paid-Up Capital \$500,000. JAMES N. BOYD, President; MANN S. QUARLES, Vice-President; JOHN MORTON, Secretary and Treasurer.

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A DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

A very delightful concert and entertainment will be given at 8 o'clock to-morrow night at Cersley's Hall, in Swansboro, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Clifton-Street Baptist Church.

The programme will be rendered by well-known musical people, and the hall is not expected to be crowded. Those who intend being present. The programme will be made up with selections by the following talented amateurs: Miss Coley Lovell, Miss Rosa Turley, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Perkins, Professor D. A. Ritchie, Mr. George W. B. Crawford and Professor J. R. Berry, with his gramophone. The complete programme, under the direction of Mr. William J. Morrisette, will be printed later.

COURT OF 'SQUIRE JONES.

'Squire Charles T. Jones, of Swansboro, held court in his town yesterday morning and dished out a considerable amount of justice. He was present, some held in reserve for another time.

Arthur E. Battle, a colored man, arrested by Mr. Y. H. Blankenship, a section-master of the Atlantic-Coast Line, on the charge of stealing brass from a train, was first indicted. When 'Squire had heard all the evidence he gave the negro six months in the county jail. Battle was first seen and suspected of theft by Lee Carter, John Glenn, and Joe Randlett, and when these men attempted to arrest him, he drew a pistol and by firing at them succeeded for the time in making his escape. He was charged with this, and was sent on to be tried by a jury.

A NEW OLD GLORY.

The Junior Order of United American Mechanics of this city have replaced the old national flag on the Baldwinridge School building by a new one, which swings out in the breeze eight full feet.

The flag-raising was in charge of the Joint Flag Committee, which is composed of Messrs. New South, No. 10, William M. Lipscomb (secretary), W. T. Haynes, Davis, No. 27-S, H. Andrew (chairman), L. A. Bailey, Manchester, No. 20-W, L. Alley, R. J. Wood, Rocky Ridge, No. 36-George L. Hubard, Willie Crooks.

PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

Mr. J. H. Buckner, of Eighth and Decatur streets, has returned from a pleasant visit to his home in the State of Virginia.

A letter has been received from Norfolk by Mrs. L. M. Burford, stating that Mrs. T. E. Clay, who has been ill in that city for some time, is better, and expected to return to her home shortly.

Mr. S. W. Webb, of Chesapeake City, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Starke, of this city, has returned to her home.

The retail liquor-dealers of Manchester and Swansboro will meet at J. P. Robinson's, on the 13th inst., at 10 o'clock, to organize an association similar to that recently organized in Richmond.

Mr. E. W. Criddle, of Swansboro, whose right-hand thumb was recently hurt at the Toler factory, finds now that the member who was injured at the Toler factory, Dr. George Ben Johnston will perform the operation.

The man who was sick and came to the Manchester Station-Home Tuesday night went on his way yesterday morning. He said he was a circus man.

THE PRINCESS SALM-SALM.

She Arrives in New York from Bonn, Germany. (New York Times, 5th.)

The Princess Salm-Salm of Bonn, Germany, arrived here yesterday on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. She is to spend two months in this country, most of the time at the home of her brother-in-law, Colonel Edmund Johnson, at Vine-lane, N. J. The Princess has not been in this country for many years. While here she will visit Washington, where a reception will be given in her honor, by the Chamberlain. She may also visit Chicago.